### IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA ATLANTA DIVISION

AMY EVERETT and )	
TJELVAR EVERETT, )	
Plaintiffs,	
v. )	File No. 1:17-CV-3392-TWT
COBB COUNTY, GEORGIA; )	
OFFICER JAMES W. HOPKINS, )	
in his individual and official	
capacities; and LANI MESHELLA)	
MILLER, in her individual )	
capacity; )	
Defendants.	

# DEFENDANT LANI MESHELLA MILLER'S ANSWER TO PLAINTIFFS' FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT

COMES NOW, Defendant, Lani Meshella Miller, and files this her

Defenses and Answer to Plaintiffs' First Amended Complaint and shows the

Court as follows:

## **FIRST DEFENSE**

The Plaintiff's Complaint fails to state a claim against this Defendant upon which relief can be granted.

## **SECOND DEFENSE**

The Plaintiff by the exercise of ordinary care, could have avoided the consequences of the negligence which is alleged against the Defendant,

Defendant denying that she was guilty of any such negligence.

#### THIRD DEFENSE

The failure to specifically state items of special damages sought in this action bars their recovery in this action.

#### **FOURTH DEFENSE**

This Court lacks subject matter jurisdiction pursuant to Rule 12 (b)(1).

1.

In response to this paragraph of the Complaint, Defendant asserts all of her Answers and Defenses filed in her previous Answer (Doc. 6).

2.

The allegations contained in this paragraph of the Complaint are denied.

3.

In response to this paragraph of the Complaint, Defendant is without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truthfulness of these allegations and, hence, Defendant denies the same and demands strict proof thereof by the named Plaintiffs.

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5.

In response to this paragraph of the Complaint, Defendant is without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truthfulness of these allegations and, hence, Defendant denies the same and demands strict proof thereof by the named Plaintiffs.

6.

The allegations contained in this paragraph of the Complaint are denied.

Respectfully submitted this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of January, 2018.

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This 22<sup>nd</sup> day of January, 2018.

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

This is to certify that I have this day served counsel of record to this action with a copy of the foregoing **Defendant Lani Meshella Miller's Answer to Plaintiffs' First Amended Complaint** in the above-styled case by emailing a copy of the same through the court's e-mailing system:

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